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*Escurial, November 24.*

ON the 14th Instant the King of Spain published an Edict, prohibiting, under severe Penalties, the Use of more than Two Horses or Mules in Gentlemen's Carriages, within the different Towns in this Country. A circular Letter has been sent to the Foreign Ministers residing at this Court, with a Copy of the Edict, expressing His Catholick Majesty's Hopes that they will set the Example to the Public, by complying with the new Regulation.

The same Edict also abolishes the celebrated Bull Feasts (so long the favourite Diversion of the Spaniards) except in particular Cases, where the Profits arising from that Exhibition have been appropriated to pious or patriotic Uses, and where no Fund has yet been set aside to supply the Deficiency that would be the Consequence of the Suppression.

The Motive assigned for these Prohibitions, in the Preamble of the Edict, is the great Destruction of Cattle, which might be better employed in Agriculture, and other useful Occupations.

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East-India House, November 16, 1785.

*THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice,*

*That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 15th of December next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 12th of January following;*

*And that the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due the 5th of January, will be ready to be delivered on Friday the 10th of February next.*

Victualling-Office, December 2, 1785.

*THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That there are Money and Exchequer Bills in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy to pay the Principal and Interest of the Bills registered in the Course of the Victualling for Two Months, ending the 31st of May, 1785, in order that the Persons possessed of such Bills may bring them to this Office to be assigned for Payment.*

Admiralty-Office, November 26, 1785.

*NOTICE is hereby given, That a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be holden on Saturday the 21st Day of January next, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.* Ph. Stephens.

[ Price Three-pence Halfpenny. ]

Royal Exchange Assurance-Office, December 7, 1785.

*THE Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company do hereby give Notice, That their Transfer Books will be shut from Thursday the 15th of December instant, to Tuesday the 7th of January next; and that the Annual General Court appointed by their Charter will be holden at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday the 21st of December instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon; and that a Dividend will be considered of at the said Court.*

*N. B. Attendance is given Daily at the said Office, and at their Office in Conduit-street, Hanover-square, for the Assuring of Buildings, Goods, Merchandizes and Ships from Loss or Damage by Fire; and also for the Assurance of Lives.*

British Linen-Office, Edinburgh, December 5, 1785.

*THE General Court of Proprietors of the British Linen Company having ordered a Dividend on their Stock for the Year ending the 30th of May last, payable at Christmas next: Notice is hereby given to the Proprietors to call for the same at the Company's Office; and, in order to settle said Dividend, no Transfer of Stock will be made from Wednesday the 14th, to Saturday the 24th current, both Days inclusive.*

December 10, 1785.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Partnership between James Lance and Joseph Hackett, of Deptford in the County of Kent, Linen-drapers, Mercers, &c. is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent. All Persons indebted to the said Partnership are desired to pay their respective Debts to the said James Lance; and all Persons having Demands on the same are to apply to the said James Lance for Payment, he being authorized to receive and pay the same.

*James Lance.*
*Joseph Hackett.*

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Partnership between John Roome and John Meynell, of Derby in the County of Derby, Dealers in Spirituous Liquors, carried on in the Name of the said John Roome, is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent; and all Persons indebted to the said Partnership are required immediately to pay their respective Debts to the said Parties; and all Persons having any Claims on the said Partnership are requested forthwith to send in their Demands to the said Parties, in order that the same may be discharged. Witness our Hands, this 10th Day of December, 1785.

*John Roome.*
*John Meynell.*

December 10, 1785.

THE Creditors of Ann Smith, of Newmarket, Shopkeeper, are desired to send an Account of their Demands to Mr. Welch, jun. Attorney, in Aldersgate-street, in order that they may receive an equal Proportion of her Effects: And all Persons indebted to her are desired to pay their respective Debts to the said Mr. Welch, or to Mr. R. Bye, of Ashley, near Newmarket aforesaid, who are legally authorized to receive the same.

TAKE Notice, That the Partnerſhip of Thomas Greaves and William Jervis, both of Sheffield in the County of York, Sciſſors-makers, was, on the 30th Day of May laſt, diſſolved by mutual Conſent; and all Debts due and owing to and from the ſaid Copartnerſhip are to be received and paid by the ſaid Thomas Greaves, by whom the ſaid Trade is now carried on. Dated this 6th Day of December, 1785.

*Tho. Greaves.*
*Will. Jervis.*

WHEREAS the Copartnerſhip with Edward Priddle and William Gildart, Grocers, of Weſt-Smithfield, in London, was, by mutual Conſent, diſſolved on the 23d of Auguſt laſt; all Perſons that are indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip are deſired to pay the ſame as above; and all Perſons that have any Demands on the ſaid Partnerſhip are deſired to ſend the Account in as above, to receive the ſame.

*Edw. Priddle.*
*W. Gildart.*

TO be ſold in Two Lots, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before John Hett, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, A neat Dwelling-houſe and Offices, Coach-houſe, Stable, Orchard and Garden, let to Mr. Chriſtopher Duffin, as Tenant at Will, at 20l. per Annum; alſo a Farm-houſe, Barns and Offices, with about 123 Acres of Land, let to the ſaid Chriſtopher Duffin on Leaſe for 31 Years from Michaelmas, 1776, at 140l. per Annum, clear of all Taxes, but let by him to an under Tenant at 370l. per Annum; all ſituate at Brick Stables, in the Pariſh of Mortlake in the County of Surrey, and late the Real Eſtate of Ralph Crutcher, late of Mortlake aforeſaid, Eſq; deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers gratis.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 28th of February, 1784, made in two ſeveral Cauſes, viz. Stanway againſt Witchingham, and Hayward againſt Pott, the Creditors of Richard Hayward, late of the Pariſh of St. Michael Bedwardine in the County of Worceſter, Gentleman, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, in a Cauſe Sadler againſt Ryland, the Creditors of William Sadler, late of Caſtle Bromwich in the County of Warwick, Gent. deceaſed, are to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Valintine Neville, late of the Pariſh of St. Margaret Rocheſter in the County of Kent, Gentleman, deceaſed, late Purſer of His Majeſty's Ship Yarmouth, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before John Eames, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe wherein John Woodward is Plaintiff, and William Bromfield and others are Defendants, the Creditors of Henry Woodward, formerly of the Theatre Royal, Covent-garden, and late of Chapel-ſtreet, Groſvenor-place, in the County of Middleſex, Eſq; deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before Alexander Thomſon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 23d Day of January next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, in a Cauſe Ferris againſt Townſend, the Creditors of Richard Bramble, late of Warminſter in the County of Wilts, Victualler, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, on or before the 1ſt Day of Hilary Term next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Orlando Bridgman and others againſt John Simpſon and others, the Creditors and Legatees of William Simpſon, late of Stainforth in the County of York, Eſq; deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before John Hett, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 23d Day of January next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Frances Rayment, Spinſter, and others, againſt William Rayment and others, the Creditors and Legatees of William Rayment, late of the Pariſh of Barking in the County of Eſſex, Gentleman, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before John Hett, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Ralph Hare the Elder, of Ipſwich in the County of Suffolk, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on the 16th Day of December inſtant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Great White Horſe, in Ipſwich aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

N. B. All Perſons who ſtand indebted to the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt are requeſted to pay the ſame to Meſſ. Spooner and Hall, the Aſſignees, or to Mr. R. S. Durham, Attorney, at Ipſwich aforeſaid.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Johnſon, now or late of Halifax in the County of York, Dyer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on the 7th of January next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Croſs Pipes, in Halifax aforeſaid, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Thomas Fawcett, of Maiden-lane, Covent-garden, in the County of Middleſex, Taylor, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday the 15th Day of December inſtant, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Peel's Coffee-houſe, Fleet-ſtreet, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Smith, late of Frodſham in the County of Cheſter, Inn-keeper, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on the 13th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the Bull and Punch Bowl, in Dale-ſtreet, Liverpool, in the County of Lancaſter, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Levi Woodham, of the City of New Sarum in the County of Wilts, Innholder, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th and 27th Days of December inſtant, and on the 24th Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each Day, at the Black Horſe Inn, in the ſaid City of New Sarum, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Stephens, Attorney, in New Sarum, or Mr. Townſend, Staple-inn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Owen James, of Neath in the County of Glamorgan, Shop-keeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 23d and 24th of December inſtant, and on the 24th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the White Lyon Inn, in Broad-ſtreet in the City of Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the

Creditors

Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall apponit, but give Notice to J. Hawkswell, Attorney, in Bristol aforesaid.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Pottinger, of Winslow in the County of Buckingham, Carrier, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 28th and 29th Days of December instant, and on the 24th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the Red Lion, in Banbury in the County of Oxford, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Walford, Attorney, at Banbury aforesaid, or Mr. Theophilus Walford, Attorney, Red Lion Square, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Edmund Browne, of Winchester-street, London, Merchant and Insurer, intend to meet on the 20th Day of December instant, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to receive the Proof of Debts under the said Commission.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Seatle, of High-street, in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 19th of December instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to receive a Proof of a Debt under the said Commission.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Nash, late of Water-lane, Fleet-street, in the City of London, Silversmith, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 3d Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Henry Nethercoate, of the Parish of East Greenwich in the County of Kent, Maltster, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 30th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, (and not on the 21st, as before advertised) at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Capadose and Jacob Henriques De Souza, of Bury-street, London, Merchants, Dealers and Partners, intend to meet on the 10th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Further Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Capadose and Jacob Henriques De Souza, of Bury-street, London, Merchants, Dealers and Partners, intend to meet on the 10th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate Estate and Effects of the said Jacob Henriques De Souza; when and where his separate Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Augustine Postle, of Foulsham in the County of Norfolk, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 17th Day of January next, at Four in the Afternoon, at the White Swan, in the Parish of St. Peter of Mancroft, in the City of Norwich, to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Gabriel Holland, of Swainington in the County of Leicester, Coal-master, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 7th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Kearsley, of Fleet-street, in the City of London, Bookseller, intend to meet on the 7th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Finden, of Blackman-street, in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey, Grocer, intend to meet on the 4th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Barnard, late of Upperthorpe in the Parish of Sheffield in the County of York, Tanner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 4th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the White Bear Inn, in Sheffield aforesaid, to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Mills and Sherland Swanston, of Great St. Helen's in the City of London, Merchants and Partners, (carrying on Trade or Business under the Firm of Mills and Swanston) intend to meet on the 7th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Carruthers, late of Longtown in the Parish of Arthuret in the County of Cumberland, Dealer and Chapman, (but now a Prisoner in His Majesty's Goal at the City of Carlisle, in and for the County of Cumberland aforesaid,) have certified to the Rt. Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Carruthers hath in all Thing conformed according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Ceritificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 3d Day of January next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Campbell the Younger, of Eastcheap in the City of London, Ship-broker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Campbell hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary, on or before the 3d Day of January next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Stidolph, of Chafford Mill, in the Parish of Penshurst in the County of Kent, Paper-maker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Stidolph hath in all Things conformed according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act, directs unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 3d of January next.

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